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FLOW AND METABOLIC UPTAKE IN
TISSUE WITH RADIOLABELED ALKANOIC
ACID

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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(ii), Applicants have not submitted copies of U.S. patents and U.S. patent applications.

Applicants note that co-pending application no. 11/621,241 (published as US2007-0128110, cited on the enclosed PTO/SB/08), which has an inventor in common with the present application, is pending and under final rejection as of the filing date of this paper.

In addition, Applicants note that the co-pending U.S. patent applications listed as citations AD-AI on the enclosed PTO/SB/08 are divisional applications of the present application.

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